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SUBJ: TRADE DISPUTE: JAI HIND MOTOR PARTS DEALERS,
TEHRAN, VS. DISCAL CORPORATION, 319 PACIFIC
AVE., P.O. BOX 2854, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. 94126

1. JAI HIND, WELL-KNOWN IRANIAN IMPORTER OF AUTO-MOBILE PARTS, HAS SOUGHT EMBASSY ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING PAYMENT OF \$500.00 OFFERED AS PARTIAL SETTLEMENT ON \$2,000.00 CLAIM AGAINST DISCAL FOR SHIPMENT OF DEFECTIVE OIL FILTERS.

2. JAI HIND HAS LETTER SIGNED BY D.S. PICKETT OF DISCAL, DATED APRIL 9, 1973, ACKNOWLEDGING DEFECTS AND OFFERING THE \$500.00 SETTLEMENT, WHICH JAI HIND PREPARED TO ACCEPT SINCE JAI HIND HOPES TO RESUME BUSINESS RELATIONS WITH DISCAL. HOWEVER IRANIAN PARTNERS UNWILLING TO PLACE FURTHER ORDER WITH DISCAL UNTIL THIS PAYMENT IS RECEIVED.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: USDOC DISCUSS ABOVE WITH DISCAL AND ATTEMPT TO PERSUADE THEM TO SETTLE THIS PROBLEM QUICKLY SO THAT DISCAL'S EXPORTS TO JAI HIND MAY BE RESUMED.

4. EMBASSY REALIZES THAT \$500.00 AMOUNT IS CONSIDERED TOO SMALL FOR ACTION UNDER EXISTING POLICY. HOWEVER, OWING TO IMPORTANCE OF JAI HIND IN LOCAL MARKET AND DESIRE TO REESTABLISH TRADE RELATIONS WITH DISCAL,
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EMBASSY FEELS THAT USDOC ACTION IN THIS INSTANCE WOULD

BE JUSTIFIED.
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